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Calle Cangallo No. 102—1864

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1st Bills and obligations with good signatures are discounted on convenient terms.

2nd Money is advanced on mercantile and other securities approved of by the Manager.

3rd. Accounts-current are opened with merchants or other parties who may prefer, depositing endorsed and transferable securities, against which they may draw up to an amount previously covenanted under conditions established for such class of operations.

4th Money is received in *account current* bearing interest from day of deposit which is accumulated in favor of the parties every *three* months, the depositors being allowed to retire at any time by means of *cheques* part or the full amount at their wish, save when the quantity exceeds three hundred dollours or one hundred thousand dollars currency," in which case 48 hours previous notice is required to be given at the Treasury of the Bank.

7th Bills or letters of credit are drawn and taken on Montevideo, Rosario, Sta. Fe, Salto Oriental, Paysandu, Rio Janeiro and other places in the Brazils, England and France, as also on other places of which notice will be given hereafter.

7th Finally the Bank undertakes & executes all legitimate transactions within the orbit of banking operations.

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Buenos Ayres, Oct 29 1863.

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Bs. As., 31st December 1863.

J. H. GARDEN,
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FRANK PARISH, Consul.
Buenos Ayres, April 11, 1864.

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A New History of England.
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In Verse
With a Diary, in English and Spanish, and a Dictionary.
Edited and Enlarged by D. Chapman, Instructor in the English and Spanish Languages.
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La Singara.

All parties indebted for passage money to the above mentioned ship, are requested to call at my Office and pay their passage, within two months from this, otherwise a special order will be given by Government to the different Justices of Peace to recruit into Buenos Ayres all defaulters.

G. WILKES,
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After the 1st of January 1864, only a limited number of pupils can be admitted to this school, and no boys beyond the age of 7 years. No palm or cool tax hence exacted nor the new regulations to render the system of tuition efficient and to encourage the conduct of studies. The course of instruction combines all the usual branches of a thorough English education. Further details will be furnished by the programmes of the establishment.

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Unfailing Cure

for Scab and footrot in Sheep and every kind of diseases in horses and other animals.

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And South American Mercantile Journal.

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The 'Brazil and River Plate Mail' is especially dedicated to the important commercial interests connected with these parts of South America, and the promoters of this journal look hopefully for the support of all those interested in the prosperity of these countries.

Subscriptions and applications for the Advertisements received in Montevideo, in the 'Sala de Comercio,' or at No. 36 Calle 25 de Mayo; in Buenos Ayres, at the 'Standard' Office.

Chas. Hermansader,
Physician, Surgeon, and Accoucheur,
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Corrugen de Areco.
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Charges are most moderate.
Wines superb
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Board, with room, gas-lights, and attendance, from 3 to 10$, per day.

HOTEL DE LA PAIX,
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For Sale, a light Camp Waggon, four-wheeled, seventy-one hoop, strong springs, seats for four persons, pole, shafts and double or single harness. Entirely new, just received from the United States, and in good order.

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All kinds of English Printing done here at reasonable charges: bill-heads, 200 per thousan 1; pay-forms, $150 per thousand; circulars or placards $300 per hundred. a x

To the Commercial Public.

The undersigned having determined to liquidate the old business carried on in Montevideo and Buenos Ayres under the firm of Rosenthal, Goyen, and Co., will use for that purpose the signature of Rosenthal, Goyen, and Co. in liquidation. The house of Messrs G. F. Warnholtz and Co. will carry on the business of the firm now expired.

Mr. Frederick Warnholtz remains in charge of the liquidation of the old firm in Buenos Ayres, and Mr. Augustus R. Roosen in Montevideo.

Montevideo and Buenos Ayres,
April 30th, 1864.

ROSENTHAL, GAYEN & Co.,
F. CURIEL, Trustees of the late
G. MEYN, & Herman Rosenthal.
12 p, m 4

In this date we have established a House for Consignments, under the firm of C. F. Warnholtz and Co.

We have given full powers of Attorney to Mr. Oscar Helms to act for us, Montevideo and Buenos Ayres,

May 1, 1864.

C. F. WARNHOLTZ.
AUGUSTUS RICHARD ROOSEN,
12 p, m 4

Argentine Diligences

19 CALLE RIVADAVIA, 19.

Leaves for Pilar, Capilla del Senor, San Antonio de Areco, and intermediate on the 1st, 5th, 9th, 13th, and 17th of each month.

Leaves Arrecifes for Buenos Ayres, passing by San Antonio de Areco, Capilla del Senor, New Yrlar on the 4 4th 8th, 12th, 16th, and 20th of each Month.

Leaves the Argentine Hotel at Rosario, Passage and Diligence to Buenos Ayres, on the 3rd, 7th, 11th, 15th, 19th, and 23rd of each Month, at 10 o'clock.

Fares of Passage and Luggage per diligence.

To Pilar	10 Dollars.
" Capilla del Senor ...	15 "
" San Antonio de Areco	20 "
" Arrecifes	25 "

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PAUL AND ROMULO DIAZ.

Public Notice.

The undersigned respectfully requests all parties indebted to him to call and pay their accounts without delay, either at his house or Mr. Twyford's store, 149 Calle Piedad, who is duly authorized to collect same.

JAMES HASTINGS,
466 Calle Parque.
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To Let,

A commodious Deposit No. 93 Calle Defensa.

Inquire at Barry and Walker's, No. 97 Calle Defensa, corner of Moreno.
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Tooth-ache promptly relieved and radically cured.

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Please visit the studio.
8 Reconquista Nueva, Plaza Victoria.
a 8, 2 m

To Captains of Vessels, Merchants, &c,

The increasing number of shipping that is yearly arriving at this port, and the inconvenience which often arises both to captains and merchants for the want of labourers, stevedores, and seamen, has induced the undersigned to establish an office for the providing vessels with men of this class, which will greatly facilitate the shipping interest, as it will also act as a preventive against the inducement which heretofore has been the cause of so much desertion on the part of seamen.

Sereno, Steelyard Quantillos, &c., always on hand, and at moderate prices.

HOWARD and KEAN,
Paseo de Julio, No. 39.
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To Ship Masters.

The Agent of the Board of Underwriters in New York is to be found at 186 Calle Tucuman, or at the Bolsa.

JOHN GREENWAY.
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For Cañuelas, Monte, and Las Flores.

Mahagenras Nuevas de la Portena, Correo del Estado.

Office—Calle 25 de Mayo, 411 and 413.

From Buenos Ayres for Las Flores on 2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17, 20, 23, 26, 29 of each month.

From Flores for Buenos Ayres, 2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17, 20, 23, 26, 29 of each month.

Luggage and encomiendas are received up till 4 p.m. of the day previous to starting.

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Notice.

During the absence of Frederic Wanklyn, Mr. Alfred Lamb will take charge of the business of Wanklyn and Co., for which we have granted him full powers under date of 15th of the present month.

WANKLYN & CO.

B. Ayres, March 19, 1864.

English Painter and Paperhanger.

Parties having such work to be done will please apply to the undersigned.

Hand at home, they are requested to leave their address on a slate hanging up near the door, when such orders will be immediately attended to.

ROBERT HANSSON,
No. 370 Calle Piedad.
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To Irishmen in Villa Lusan.

The undersigned requests that any fellow countryman who can afford reliable information respecting the property which the late Michael King died possessed of, will communicate same by letter directed to the undersigned at 148 Calle Potosino.

CATHERINE KING.
a 23 1 m.

Just Received,

Men's ready-made Clothing.
Youths' do. do.
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For New York

The British barque George Dalton, 366 tons register, H. Andersen, Master. She has still room for some cargo
Apply to the Consignees
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m 1 1p Calle Bolivar, 2 o. 7.

Sherry, in Octaves,

Of superior quality.
Havanna Cigars—genuine.
Brandy, in Casks, of the celebrated brand of Archibald Seres.

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Apply to Mr Verdun, on the premises.
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Notice.

The Partnership Liberto existing between Leo Liberto, under the firm of "Leo and Co. Capelle" has been dissolved by mutual consent, this date. Mr. Leo and Co. Capelle is entrusted with the general liquidation of the late firm.

Buenos Ayres, April 15, 1864.

H. MOSS.
m 4 WILLIAM CLAYPOLE.

In consequence of the preceding advertisement, the undersigned beg to inform the public that they have, under this date, formed a Partnership in the Grocery line, under the firm of "Claypole, Brothers," and will continue, as heretofore, paying the greatest attention to the orders received from their Town or Country Customers.

A thorough assortment of Goods, Clothing, &c., always on hand, at very moderate rates.

Buenos Ayres, April 16, 1864.

PETER C. CLAYPOLE.
WILLIAM G. CLAYPOLE.
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The undersigned, being duly authorised, respectfully requests all parties indebted to the late firm of Messrs. Moss and Claypole to call and pay their accounts, without delay, at Calle Defensa No. 58.

Buenos Ayres, April 30, 1864.

WILLIAM C. CLAYPOLE.

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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

No notice can be taken of anonymous communications. Whatever is intended for insertion must be authenticated by the name and address of the writer; not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

The Standard.

"Ni fuisti audeam nil veri non audeam dicere!"—*Cicero.*

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1864.

FRENCH PACKET RETLW.

The present state of the Argentine Republic is, with the exception of the Province of Buenos Ayres, peaceable, and prosperous. The members of Congress from the different provinces have arrived in this city. Congress will be opened to-day by the President in person. Peace and order reign through the interior, and the people in the provinces have embraced the peaceful arts of industry, instead of bloodshed and civil war. We regret sincerely that it is no our duty to inform our readers that in Buenos Ayres things are a far different aspect. A most lamentable spirit of disunion has sprung up amongst the politicians in this city. One party labours indefatigably to eject the National Government from this city, whilst the sober-minded and wealthier portion of the citizens support President Mitre, and struggle manfully to preserve the capital in this city. Cursed with these hateful political intrigues which have so long proved the bane and ruin of these countries, crime is everywhere on the increase, public confidence diminishing, and the paper currency of the country depreciating. President Mitre possesses the entire confidence of the foreigners, and of the wealthier portion of the native community; but he has failed yet to afford a proof of his capability to abrogate the chronic evil which afflict the River Plate.

It is the general opinion that the whole mechanism of Government has yet to be thoroughly reformed, as the Federal or Confederate system is but an incentive to revolution and disorder. Sooner or later it will come to this, that there will be but one Government in the River Plate, and that Government will be in Buenos Ayres.

The native newspapers, without a single honorable exception keep up the spirit of disunion, by publishing the most inflammatory articles; the political clubs hold nightly meetings, and things are rapidly approaching a crisis.

We would rejoice, indeed, were it in our power to exculpate the Governor of this province, Don Pastor Saavedra, from participating in this wholesale onslaught on President Mitre's Government, but, unfortunately for the country, he has, by his official acts, proved his adhesion to the opposition.

The richest, wealthiest, and most influential men in this city, who hold the position of Senators in the Provincial Chambers, and therefore than lend themselves to an effort made by the opposition to disturb the present order of things, resigned "en masse" and the Governor, well knowing that the following riots which had occurred at the elections last month, has had the tomerity to strip the Chambers of a quorum.

It is our pleasing duty to observe that the new National Finance Minister, Sr. Gonalez, has resumed the burning of the paper money. On last Monday four millions were consigned to the flames. It is generally believed that at least for years this destruction of the currency will fall to realise the beneficial effects predicted; but no matter what the ulterior consequences may be, we approve of it, inasmuch as it is a strict compliance of the law, and a proof of the integrity of our public men.

Several very important measures are about to be introduced at the approaching Congress. One of the most important is that of Messrs. Harrison and Mamilla, for the establishment of six new steamboat lines in the rivers, the full particulars of which will be found in this week's "Weekly Standard." A project for a new private bank, capital two millions sterling, is also on the *tapis*.

The saladeristas in the rivers are at present killing fast: cattle are cheap, and hides and jerked beef maintain their prices.

Next English packet we expect will take home some bales of Paraguayan cotton, which the President of that prosperous country is sending to the different European markets to get valued. We regret to say, that with the exception of Paraguay and Corrientes, in all other parts cotton as yet has proved rather unsuccessful.

The Bank of Maua, which is decidedly the most influential private bank in the River Plate, has recently opened a branch establishment in Corrientes, which is one of the richest and most peaceable provinces in the Republic. The Savings Bank, which the Baron Maua opened some six months ago in this city, we understand, has over two thousand depositors, now proving clearly how correct were the ideas of Mr. Leslie, the talented manager, in starting such an institution.

The Buenos Ayres Great Southern Railway is progressing wonderfully. The earthworks along the first sections of the road are being rapidly completed, under the able and talented management of Messrs. Crawford and Rumball, who are receiving much praise for their efforts. We understand that there are some twelve hundred men constantly at work on the road.

The Northern Railway is doing a splendid traffic business, and the works are nearly completed, which will enable the locomotive to run through to the Plaza 25 de Mayo station.

The Argentine Central Railway, which enjoys such sympathy and support amongst us, is now being laid in more business-like shape; three of the gentlemen appointed by Government have come before the public with the prospectus, and called upon the subscribers to the stock to pay up the first call, which, we have no doubt, will be immediately attended to.

The San Juan Mining Company, which, we believe, is known to many of our English readers, is about to be transformed into an English company. Mr. Rickard having arranged to purchase the shares held by parties in San Juan, and from the best advices from Tontal, where the mines are situated, we can advise our readers to speculate in the concern. Mr. Rickard has failed to send us any shares for distribution as yet, respecting the prospects of the company. Under a proper and judicious management, and if the country is left in peace, the company will probably would be able to pay a fair dividend, out at present the shares are selling in this market at 20 per cent below par.

The London and River Plate Bank has recently, in company with some merchants in this city, made a loan to the National Government. The terms are particularly favourable to the latter, and, however, the talented manager of this thriving bank has increased his popularity by assisting the Government.

Several cargoes of preserved beef have been shipped to England by a leading Montevidean house. There is much anxiety as to the result. Should the beef arrive well, it will open an important trade for this country.

Notwithstanding the alarm which disinfectants have created in this city, the general feeling is that President Mitre's Government will survive the storm, and by the adoption of strong precautionary measures, the River Plate country will be more firmly established than ever.

EDITOR'S TABLE

The French packet leaves to-day for Europe; we understand that she takes a larger number of passengers than usual. Our friends at home will please to note our return mail some ten thousand farm laborers.

The steamer Currientes which was to have left for Montevideo, was stopped on Tuesday evening. People are very anxious to know the motive.

The decree of the President for the opening of Congress has been at last published. We shall attend to-day at the inauguration, so as to report the proceedings. The new Congress hall is ready, having been most tastefully fitted up and hung with blue velvet; it is however very small for the public accommodation, and the great importance of the measures which are to be introduced.

A new English monthly magazine is about to be started: the prospectus will be found in another column. We abstain from offering any opinion in the matter, but quote from Young—*Ediface rush on where angels fear to tread.*"

The celebrated Dredge has at last arrived: the account of the captain who brought it down is most ludicrous, he states that although an experienced seaman he never in his life made such a voyage; the dredge literally spun down the river—all hands on board, from the constant twirling about, were completely drunk. Thanks be, good luck more than anything else, the dredge at last twirled into San Fernando, and was towed down to the Boca by the Meuay. We hear that this celebrated dredge will shortly proceed to Ensenada with six barges, for the purpose of cleaning the mud out of the bay. The Meuay we hear has been sent up to Mr. Marshall's establishment in Barracas to have a new bottom put to her.

One of the strangest facts is that in the recent report published respecting the sinking of the Rosario steamer none of the patients appears to be foreigners. We call the attention of the committee of the Italian Hospital to this point, as there are some very hard reflections on the foreign hospitals.

Dr. Coghlan's letter in answer to Sr. Santamaria, will be found in another column. Also: Veritas's rejoinder to Sor. Santamaria's answer, which is rather severe.

We are assured by one of the oldest and most influential English merchants in town that he has reliable information for considering the first sections of the road are being rapidly completed, under the able and talented management of Messrs. Crawford and Rumball, who are receiving much praise for their efforts. We understand that there are some twelve hundred men constantly at work on the road.

The Northern Railway is doing a splendid traffic business, and the works are nearly completed, which will enable the locomotive to run through to the Plaza 25 de Mayo station.

The Argentine Central Railway, which enjoys such sympathy and support amongst us, is now being laid in more business-like shape; three of the gentlemen appointed by Government have come before the public with the prospectus, and called upon the subscribers to the stock to pay up the first call, which, we have no doubt, will be immediately attended to.

The San Juan Mining Company, which, we believe, is known to many of our English readers, is about to be transformed into an English company. Mr. Rickard having arranged to purchase the shares held by parties in San Juan, and from the best advices from Tontal, where the mines are situated, we can advise our readers to speculate in the concern. Mr. Rickard has failed to send us any shares for distribution as yet, respecting the prospects of the company. Under a proper and judicious management, and if the country is left in peace, the company would probably would be able to pay a fair dividend, out at present the shares are selling in this market at 20 per cent below par.

The London and River Plate Bank has recently, in company with some merchants in this city, made a loan to the National Government. The terms are particularly favourable to the latter, and, however, the talented manager of this thriving bank has increased his popularity by assisting the Government.

Several cargoes of preserved beef have been shipped to England by a leading Montevidean house. There is much anxiety as to the result. Should the beef arrive well, it will open an important trade for this country.

Notwithstanding the alarm which disinfectants have created in this city, the general feeling is that President Mitre's Government will survive the storm, and by the adoption of strong precautionary measures, the River Plate country will be more firmly established than ever.

EDITOR'S TABLE

The French packet leaves to-day for Europe; we understand that she takes a larger number of passengers than usual. Our friends at home will please to note our return mail some ten thousand farm laborers.

The steamer Currientes which was to have left for Montevideo, was stopped on Tuesday evening. People are very anxious to know the motive.

The decree of the President for the opening of Congress has been at last published. We shall attend to-day at the inauguration, so as to report the proceedings. The new Congress hall is ready, having been most tastefully fitted up and hung with blue velvet; it is however very small for the public accommodation, and the great importance of the measures which are to be introduced.

A new English monthly magazine is about to be started: the prospectus will be found in another column. We abstain from offering any opinion in the matter, but quote from Young—*Ediface rush on where angels fear to tread.*"

The celebrated Dredge has at last arrived: the account of the captain who brought it down is most ludicrous, he states that although an experienced seaman he never in his life made such a voyage; the dredge literally spun down the river—all hands on board, from the constant twirling about, were completely drunk. Thanks be, good luck more than anything else, the dredge at last twirled into San Fernando, and was towed down to the Boca by the Meuay. We hear that this celebrated dredge will shortly proceed to Ensenada with six barges, for the purpose of cleaning the mud out of the bay. The Meuay we hear has been sent up to Mr. Marshall's establishment in Barracas to have a new bottom put to her.

One of the strangest facts is that in the recent report published respecting the sinking of the Rosario steamer none of the patients appears to be foreigners. We call the attention of the committee of the Italian Hospital to this point, as there are some very hard reflections on the foreign hospitals.

Dr. Coghlan's letter in answer to Sr. Santamaria, will be found in another column. Also: Veritas's rejoinder to Sor. Santamaria's answer, which is rather severe.

We are assured by one of the oldest and most influential English merchants in town that he has reliable information for considering the first sections of Gov. Saavedra's intended resignation.

The attendance to-night at Colon theatre will be very great, and the Argentine Hymn will be sung by the whole company.

The Saintonge went into the outer roads last evening, and leaves for Bordeaux to-day. The English packet is expected to arrive to-morrow morning

INFAMOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

We copy the following scandalous notice from *El Plata* of Montevideo:

AVISO

"The —— Consul, Mr. N. N. is requested to return or pay for a handkerchief that was in his little daughter from the drapery establishment, No. 138 calle Buenos Ayres."

We have suppressed the name of the gentleman who has been so villainously libelled, and hope the laws of the country will be speedily reformed, so as to place the private character of respectable residents in this city free from defamatory advertisements. The disgraceful method of dragging a man or woman, whether rich or humble, about r tailor's or milliner's bills, is unknown in Buenos Ayres. Not long ago one of the highest English families in this city was made the victim of such an infamous publication. A fine of $5,000 ought to levied on the paper inserting such unverified scandal, the following:

NOTICE

Mr. X is requested, for the sixth time to pay the little bill he owes the undersigned, P. P.

SEÑORA M.

Is begged to return the bracelet she inadvertently picked up at the ball, last night, which belongs to me &c.

MONSIEUR D.

I hereby certify that I said not in derogatory of Don N's wife, or if I did it must have been in a moment of excited spirits.

For the honor of Buenos Ayres, no less than for a sense of decency we have to beg our colleagues will exclude such foul libels from their columns. In all countries accuse Portenos of false modesty in appearing men and women at the theatre, and having less delicacy in bathing. In like manner the newspapers of this city affect shame to publish the barbarous and brutal murders every week committed in the streets by Irishmen, whereas they gladly take payment for scurrilous slander directed against honest and upright citizens.

THE ARGENTINE CENTRAL RAILWAY.

Buenos Ayres, May 11, 1864.

To the Editors of the Standard.

Perturiant montes.' And after four days of difficult and dangerous labour, Sr. Santamaria appears, like a mouse, to attack, against Veritas, whose sole, rank, and unpardonable offence is truth: for to say one not predetermined to twist his remarks into significations not their own, the sole object of his letter was patent and clear, being confined to a simple statement of two facts.

First, that the support offered by Mr. Robertson to the Cordoba line was made contingent on the cession (or sale, if Sr. Santamaria prefers it) of the Buenos Railway to the Southern Company.

This assertion Sr. Santamaria admits, although he makes a most lame and impossible out of the circumstance that Veritas inacautiously used the word 'Ensenada' instead of 'Boca' Railway. Secondly, that on Mr. Hicketyllay declining to entertain any such proposals, Mr. Robertson suddenly remembered that the comparative security of the National and Provincial guarantees might be estimated by the value of their bonds, those of Buenos Ayres being quoted at from 60 to 70 per cent, and those of the National Government (unknown there) being stated as worth only 40 in the country. This incident, which Sr. Santamaria passes over as having had nothing to do with the 'cool manner' in which the Central Railway has been received, was in reality considered by Mr. Bransy as of so great importance, that on receiving the information he wrote immediately to Mr. Wheelwright, demanding an explanation, and stating that if the report did not admit of an immediate contradiction, there would be no chance of obtaining the necessary capital. As to the difference in the estimated cost between the Southern and Great Central Railways, Veritas repeats, notwithstanding Sr. Santamaria's declaration, that the cost of the Southern line is at the rate of £10,000 per mile, at least to its shareholders, who can receive no dividend beyond the 7 per cent, until this rate has been paid on the whole of the published capital.

The difference therefore between the two companies, the Central and the Southern, remains as stated, at the rate of £3500 per mile, amounting to a difference in favor of the Central Railway in the total amount to the cost of no less than £800,000 (four millions of patacons), and yet, Sor. Santamaria believes that resting upon the operations of the lands, the Rosario estimate is still a more favorable one for its contractors than that of the Southern line.

Secondly, that his statement that the contractors of the Southern Railway only receive £8,000 per mile. Now the contract of the Company being £750,000, it follows, that (besides the doubtless handsome profit to the contractors) no less a sum than £150,000 will be paid for preliminary expenses, &c., on a line not exceeding 75 miles in length! *O tempora! O mores!* and this is the Company which monopolizes the support of Sr. Santamaria, who yet have nothing left for the Cordoba line excepting their good wishes, and the recommendation to accept the offer made between the credit of the Provincial Government and that of the Argentine Confederation. Well may we exclaim in the words of the poet—

> Earnest that you could not dissemble your love,
> But was glad to conceal it in spite of your pride.

As to the right that Mr. Wheelwright may have or may not have to dispose of one half of the lands, in order to secure the construction of 33 miles, we respectfully submit that this was a question solely to be determined by the Directors of the Financial Companies to whom the preliminary powers were entrusted, and whose names, including the most eminent financiers, statesmen, and peers of the aristocracy of London, ought to be a guarantee for the honesty and good faith of that and every transaction. On no other terms could Mr. Wheelwright have undertaken it, it is ungenerous and unfair in the directors of the Southern Railway to raise objections to an arrangement which could not be avoided—and by their premature and ex parte statements to attempt to ruin the great Argentine enterprise.

Between the high character and position of the directors of either railway, Veritas' made no unfavourable comparisons, as Sr. Santamaria insinuates, but merely stated a fact, unpleasant solely to a remark attributed to Mr. Robertson, that men like himself and his excellent friends, have no chances to lose in London, could not think of joining the direction of the Cordoba railway on the terms of its prospectus, through the high liability and expressed the warmest wishes.

Sr. Santamaria concludes his singular communication by observing (o. c. dedusion that has happened,' and hoping it will be cleared up in the best possible way in London. We presume he alludes to the protection which excellent friends there to be the arbiters of all enterprises tending to promote the improvement and happiness of these countries, and we shall, indeed, be pleased, if the reports that have circulated on this subject, since the publication of Veritas' letter, have been in reality delusions and snares.

We have only one object to defend, not to attack any honest man, and sympathy for Mr. Wheelright, so struggling against unexpected difficulties, which (but for a short time only we hope) will interfere with the realisation of his great project, is the sole cause of these letters. But as Sr. Santamaria threatens to demolish us with a *coup de grace* in reserve, we conclude for the present in anxious expectation of these secrets about to be drawn from their dread abode by him so scandalous, we presume, and astonish the world.

VERITAS.

THE ARGENTINE CENTRAL RAILWAY.

To the Editors of the Standard.

Gentlemen,

In the "Argentina Argentina" of the 4th inst. appeared a letter from Don Constant Santamaria, referring to the "Proposals for Permanent Railways in London," some of the statements in which appear to me not only to convey an unmerited imputation on Mr. Wheelwright, but, if allowed to pass, are likely to have a prejudicial effect on the subscription in this country to that great and important undertaking. These statements I have not seen any further reference in the columns of that paper, and I therefore request you to publish the following observations.

1st. Señor Santamaria asks "Can Mr. Wheelwright appropriate to himself personally those lands, nor is he responsible for what Mr. Santamaria has been pleased to designate as an ungenerous act." This is a serious assertion. When leaving here he hoped that in consequence of the intimate value of the proposed railway, he would be able to form a company through his friends without requiring the aid of the great contractors or financial companies. In consequence however of the unexpected and violent opposition he has met with even on his first return to London from Buenos Ayres, in carrying out his original views, he resolved to associate with him the well known contractor, Mr. Bransy, and to entrust the formation of the Company to two of the leading financial corporations.

The Directors of these Corporations are men of the highest position and character. The Chairman of the General Credit Company, Mr. Samuel Laing, was specially selected by the English Government to chair the honorable but arduous post of succeeding Mr. Wilson in the complicated work of restoring to order the distracted finances of India, and accomplished the task with the greatest benefit to the country and credit to himself. The other Directors are men of the first mercantile standing in London, including the chairmen of two and the vice chairman of a third most important railway. The Board of the London Financial Association is composed of men of a similar class, and the Directors chosen by these two companies, for the Central Argentine Railway are also men of the most respectable position.

These are the gentlemen responsible for what Sr. Santamaria's says is not only a want of justice to the future shareholders. They, it is certain, considered that "one half the lands so generously ceded by the law of Congress to the Company which may be formed" (the last three words are Señor Santamaria's, and do not appear in the law) might and should be "appropriated"—not by Mr. Wheelwright—but to remunerate the contractors who undertook the construction of the road, on terms which Señor Santamaria acknowledges not to be remunerative, the payment of all preliminary expenses, interest to shareholders, and the working of the railway for two years for 45 per cent of the gross receipts.

2nd. Señor Santamaria further asks "Is there any will superior to the provisions of the law?" This query is founded on a previous argument that the lands were ceded, not to Mr. Wheelwright, but to a company not in existence at the date of the concession. Whether this were ceded, not to Mr. Wheelwright, but to a company not in existence at the date of the concession, or whether the concession were granted to be an authority on legal questions, but I decidedly think the spirit of the concession to have been that the land was given to Mr. Wheelwright, or those of whom he should be the agent to use in order to realise the concession in the manner he or the persons to whom he might transfer the concession might think best; and that it was so understood by the Government is proved by the report of H. E. the Minister of the Interior to H. E. the President of the Republic, dated 12th, 1863, in which he states that "the concessionaire was convinced that there would be no possibility of raising the capital in England except on the condition of an additional guarantee of the lands, to meet the secondary expenses which this class of work always demands, and which may prove very considerable."

I remain, sirs,
Your obedient servant,
JOHN COGHLAN.

53 Calle San Martin,
May 11th 1864.

To the Editors of the Standard,
Gentlemen,

I had already forwarded to you a translation of a letter of mine to the N. Argentina, dated yesterday, when I saw Don Santa Maria's observations in your paper of this morning on which I beg leave to make the following observations.

1st. I do not believe that "any sensible man acquainted with the topography of this province," except Mr. Santa Maria, can think that a railway from Buenos Ayres to Ensenada should follow any other "tracing," than the present, which I have proved through the populous district of Quilmes.

2nd. I was mistaken in inferring from Mr. Santa Maria's former letter that the Government would not allow the contract offers to the contractors' "control out any grant of land, be it understood) "equal if not" greater advantages than the Great Southern."

3rd. I think it well to explain that the sum of 25,000 a mile was substituted in the new law for £6,000 fixed by that of 1862, in order to enable the concessionaire to pay the shareholders seven per cent interest, on their advances during the construction of the line. That was the only *secondary* expense provided for under the guarantee,

I remain, gentlemen,
JOHN COGHLAN.

Insult to the British Flag.

The *Tribuna* of yesterday publishes a notice from the British Consular postoffice, signed by Mr. Parish, giving a list of packet-sailings for the year 1864. The omission of Messrs Varela for every thing English, not content with the disgraceful omission of Pres. Mitre's speech at the inauguration, finds motive for a burlesque in the, following heading to the Mail notice:

"Extract patent air-chamber Hat"

"to protect the head from the heat of the sun.

Such is the absurd caricature taking the place of the Royal Arms and evidently a parody on "Ilcui soit qui mal y pense." At the head of Turkish decree it is usual to put the title of *Tatal Iza* this has nothing to do with England, and the recollections of Hector Varela regarding 'Ottoman' matters is disagreeable.

TERRIBLE SMASH.

Narrow Escape of a distinguished Banker.

We regret to inform our readers that a few days since one of leading bankers as he was emerging from his town house in his carriage met with a rather serious accident. To increase the misfortune there was a lady along with him also, and a distinguished Dublin M.D. sitting behind. The horses it appears took fright at something, and ran pell mell into a hole which was in the street, the bankers wife and the lady were pitched out high and dry on the side walk, and the physician we believe got thrown into the second story window of the adjoining house. We are happy to assure our readers however that no bones were broken, and the lady, banker and physician are all in a fair way of doing.

INDIANS.

Further despatches with reference to the inroad of the Indians on the Northern frontiers have been received by Government. The following is a copy:—

Cuyastastio, 1st May, 1864.
To General Paunero.

As I am aware that the troops which I detailed from Fort Alsina (as mentioned in my last) have met with due success. At daybreak yesterday they came upon some Indian spies, and upon following up the trail closely they succeeded in coming up to the Indians and taking away from them 2/3 head of cattle, which are now at the disposal of the Provincial Government.

PROSPECTUS.

Within a few months, or as soon as arrangements can be made for its publication, will be issued the first number of

"THE ARGENTINE CITIZEN,"

A monthly organ of Industrial Progress,

"To create and foster an industrial opinion in the Argentine Republic and make it racy of the soil."—Chief Baron Wolfe (travestied).

The main principle on which this Magazine proposes to be conducted is the belief, that the Argentine territory has within its resources for the development of a most profitable Mine in corn, cotton, wool, tobacco, and other products that is far more likely to secure its peace and prosperity, than the copper of Caracas or the gold of San Juan.

"To foster" such a vital principle and to make it "racy" of the pure air virgin soil and the finest climate in the world (which we have in ours) will be our unceasing aim. Sheep-farming, cotton cultivation, tobacco planting, and rice raising with the other industrial features of the Argentine Nation are, as cause and effect, the brothers of immigration, railway enterprise, and river navigation. The home and in-land progress of all these is what the Argentine Provinces only want to make them a head of any or all the South American Republics. While the more solid and statistical matter shall appear from time to time sketches of the climate, scenery, and way of men and places hitherto imperfectly known to English readers.

The Colonization Law, the beginning of the Centro-Argentine railway works and concurrent with their advancement "The Argentine Citizen" shall go along.

No political paper shall find a place in this Magazine. Nor shall anything be admitted into its pages, in the slightest degree depreciatory of the existing Governments, National or Provincial.

"The Argentine Citizen" is to appear on the 20th of each month, so as to be in time for the homeward English mail.

Contributions are solicited from those who take an interest in the principles. These and other communications to the Editor, as well as subscribers names have to be sent to care of Montevidean Lumbers, 11 Parliament st., London; to office of "River Plate Mail" 30 Cornhill London; to the office of Chas. Wm Bell, 25 de Mayo, Messrs. Lumb's, Exchange Buildings, Calle San Martin, and the "Sala Comercia" calle 25 Mayo Buenos Ayres, and Messrs. Lumb's, and to 81 Calle Cordoba Rosario, Santa Fe, in the Argentine Republic.

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BANK MAUA & CO.

Balance for the month of April 1864.

DEBIT.

Capital paid up	$2,000,000
Reserve	317,043 66
Accounts Current and Deposits	7,395,274 89
Emission	2,399,180 79
	$12,112,016 99

CREDIT.

Bills Receivable	$3,251,557 93
Accounts Current	7,322,008 16
Cash	1,038,402 87
	$12,112,043 96

E. & O. E.

Montevideo, 7th May, 1864.

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(Signed) E. T. DA COSTA GUIMARAES.

IMPORTS.

In our report for the 25th ult we said that our market for imports was presenting a most active appearance.

The opinion has been confirmed, as the sales during the past fortnight have been extensive.

In the generality of articles there has been a slight improvement on account of the few arrivals, and the increased demand for the city and the Campo.

It is likely that next arrivals will fetch good prices.

This is sure to happen if the price of bullion does not continue rising, and if heavy rains do not interrupt the communication with the camp.

Wines, spirits and sugar are the articles for which there is the greatest demand. Of the first there is but little in first hands, there having been sold during the fortnight 600 pipes of Spanish red wine at high prices.

The last sale per 'Monarca' fetched 63 $ silver, which is considered a very high price, but which may be again paid during the next 2 or 3 month, as before that time, heavy arrivals are not expected.

EXPORTS

The sale of saladeros ox and cow hides, during the last fifteen days, are—

17,000 oxhides, at 40 rls.

Total sales, since 1st November 1863—258,000 hides.

Total slaughter do, 275,000 do.

Fortnight's slaughter, 19,000 do.

Hides to market, 16,000 do.

Hides in stock 4000 do.

In Saladero tallow, the sales are—

600 pipes, at 14 1/2 rls.

Stock—100 pipes.

In Saladero horsehides, the sales are—

4000 hides, at 13 1/2 rls, if 35lbs, and 10 rls, if 37lbs.

Mares' grease, worth 401 dols currency, without cash.

In jerked beef, the sales are—

Stock, 1228,030 quintals.

Shipped for Saladero, &c, 20,000 do.

In Matadero salted hides, no sales.

Stock, 230,000 hides.

The total sales of dry hides during the fortnight are—

29,000 hides.

The total stock of all classes now remaining unsold is 65,000 hides.

In American hides the sales are 10,000 hides, at reserved prices. Nominal value—

Classified, 22 rls to 30 1/2.

Entre Rios, 46 rls.

Corrientes, 43 1/2 rls.

Stock of classified, 18,000 hides.

In German hides, no sales.

Stock of classified, 5600 hides.

Nominal value—

Camp cow, 41 rls; camp ox, 47 rls; Matadero cow, 43 rls; Matadero ox, 49 rls.

In Spanish, French, and Mediterranean hides the sales are—

19,000 hides, at 48 rls for kips, 39 to 39 1/2 Cordova.

43 to 48 Paraguay.

WOOLS

We extract the following from Mr. Rom's valuable circular or packet review—

Sales have been unimportant.

The arrivals from the camp of this province have not been so considerable as during the past fortnight, and from other provinces they have been perfectly insignificant.

Wool of this province—

Sales—850,000 arobas.

Arrivals—50,000 do.

On hand—300,000 do.

Prices have been firm, more particularly for the finer qualities. There has been little or no fluctuation, and the following prices may be quoted—

Superior class and condition 100 to 110 dols.

Mixed—1st quality, 88 to 93 dols. 2a, 2nd—85 to 88 dols.

Do 3d—70 to 72 dols.

Fine wool, with some cartgulla, and of weak fibre, 88 to 90 dols.

Carolina Wool—Small lots have been sold at 38 1/2 rls. silver. No stocks held.

Entre Rios Wool—In good demand. Some sales have been made of good mestizas, at 28 to 32 rls. silver, and mixed qualities 24 to 27 rls. silver.

Corrientes Wool—Small parcels have been sold at 26 3/4 to 27 rls silver.

SUNDRIES.

Sheepskins—Purchasers for England having appeared in the market, prices have been steady, and sales, comparatively speaking, easy.

The few which arrived from the camp were sold easily at the following prices—

Fine fleeces—Saladeros 56 to 65 to 70lb from 22 to 22 1/2 rls; do. 45 to 75 lb., from 20 to 22 rls, lb.

Fine Saladero, of 50 to 55lb., from 20 to 22 rls lb.; do. camp, 50 to 60lbs do. mixed, 45 to 55lbs., do., 17 to 19 rls. lb., do., 40 to 45lbs., 15 to 17 rls lb.; ordinary, 35 to 40lbs., do. 13 to 15 rls lb.

Horsehair—No change. This produce can be quoted at 120 to 125 dols. and 115 to 122 dols; Cordoba, 31 rls silver.

Nutria—Various lots have been sold at 1 1/2 rls silver.

Ostrich Feathers—Still going up. Lo-te, at 65 to 70 dols. per lb.; in bundles, 70 to 75 dols per lb.

Kidskins and Goatskins—The former have been sold at 70 to 72 rls silver. They are quoted to-day at 68 rls, and goatskins, at 40 to 42 rls silver.

Vessels Cleared since 20th April.

On the 25th instant, the La Plata, for New York, the Anna, for England, and the J. B. V., No. 0, for Hamburg, cleared out with—Cowhides 17,956, calfskins 930, carpincho 3587, kidskins 36 bales, wool 238 do, horsehair 54 do, nutria 12 do, sheepskins, 84 bales, 814,700 lbs., tallow 11,722 do, shinbones 34,000 do, horns 26,000 do, sheepskins, 92 bales, 92,000 lbs., tallow 100 do, horsehair 20 do.

On the 27th inst the Prussian brig Carl August cleared out for England with 11913 cowhides, 61 pipes tallow, 14,300 horns, 40,000 shin bones, 100 calfskins salt.

On the 29th inst. the Italian steamer Buenos Ayres, the French barque Canton, and the Spanish brig Nueve Centinela cleared out for Europe, with Hoofs 40 tons, calfskins 2323, sheepskins 11 bales, horsehair 10 do., wool 93 do., horsehides 986, cowhides 3966, tallow, 160 cases.

On the 29th instant the Italian brig Diario cleared out for Genoa with 3842 cowhides, 427 calfskins, 53 colt skins, 30 bales hide cuttings, 33/10 lb hoofs, 98,000 horn cuttings, 10,500 lbs. of bone.

For Europe on the 2nd and 3rd inst. the "Banda" "Christophoro Colombo" "Arcangelo" and "Hope" cleared out 1086 bales wool, 25 horsehair, 76 do sheepskins, 100 do tobacco, 200 casks tallow, 1700 horns, 187 bales hide cuttings, 13 do horsehides, 125 bales rags, 8 do zinc.

On the 6th inst. the following vessels cleared out for foreign ports—Italian brig Religione, for Antwerp; Italian barque, Risuresione, for England; British Brigantine, Atrevida, for Cape of Good Hope; British barque Arnedell, for New York—having on board 9,936 cow hides; 827 bales wool; 41 bales sheepskins; 24 bales horse hair; 104 bales hide cuttings; 3 bales kid skins; 415 calf skins, 1,643 carpincho skins, 7 bales deer skins, 24 bales nutria, 37,580 shin bones, 188,819 lb. horns, dust, 83,000 lb. bones, 93,235 lb horns, 230 empty casks 20 bags bran, 48 bales hides, and 20 halters.

On the 7th inst. the Italian barque Rosita cleared out for Genoa with 1635 qu. old iron, 89511 lbs. hoofs, 33000 do horns, 70 casks oil, 47 bales hide cuttings 20 do wool, 3 do calfskins, 10937 cowhides, 100 horse hides, 2445 calf skins.

Vessels sailed since the 20th April.

French barque	Canton, Marseilles
Norwegian barque	Minerva, Anvers
Italian do	C. Colombo do
Do do	Velocero do
Belgian barque	Belgique do
Do brigantine	Helvetia do
British barque	Banda, Liverpool
Do ship	Banda do
Norwegian brig	Victoria do
British barque	Amedell, New York
Prussian brig	Carl August, England
Italian barque	Ressuresione, do
Italian steamer	Buenos Ayres, Genoa
Do brig	Orazio do. do
Do barque	Garlota do
Do do	Rosita do
Spanish brig	S. Confinella, Spain
British sch.	Atrevida, C. Good Hope
Do brig	Nancy Riley, Patagonia
Brazilian brig	Liberal, Brazil.

LOCAL EVENTS.

Martin Garcia—The 'Progreso,' states that the fortifications of Martin Garcia have been suspended, for some cause unknown. Our special reporter from that place writes us that they have begun stopping to fire Frenchmen, who were the only people on the island, who know a gun from a barrowsky, having deserted and left our worthy M——r—W——r, trying to discover the relationship between a bastion and a fishing rod. When our engineers blow up the W——r, they had found out that he could make a right angle, by sticking the fishing-rod in the middle of the line, but got the right angle, he did not know what to do with it. He has written to the 'Tribuna,' asking for the assistance of some 'respectable foreigners.'

Honesty. Our native colleagues have evidently never heard of 'Honesty being the best policy.' Some short time ago we published the programme of a scheme for a paper manufactory, which we should like to see carried out. The Tribuna, which is as capable of understanding a joke as a performance of dancing jigs, coolly plagiarises the account and says that "news came by last packet of a company being formed in London for the establishment of a paper mill in Buenos Ayres."

This news is almost as authentic as the wonderful letter received by the newspaper from 'respectable foreigners.'

Markets. The following produce has entered the various plazas on the 9th inst:—2590 cowhides. 195 horsehides, 3057 doz sheepskins, 61 do lambskins, 85 arr horsehair, 2720 do wool, 1625 do tallow, 45 do mares grease, 146 lbs feathers, 270 tanagues wheat, 33 cartcordads firewood, 400 bundles straw.

Maritime Intelligence. The Hanoverian schooner 'Louisa' arrived at Montevideo on the 7th May, from Antwerp, spoke on 1st April the British barque Jamaya. Wait, in Lat. 30 deg. 50 min. L. Long. 25 deg. 52 min. W. bound from Liverpool to Valparaiso. All Well.—(T. M.)

Required Bull, and which must not obtain.

Most of us desire to make a conspicuous figure in the world, and to raise ourselves far beyond the station to which we were born, and to distinction and wealth; but few know how to accomplish this. It is calculated that half the human race quit the stage of life in a lower degree than that on which they entered it.

But there are men who every day strike out into some new golden path, and attract to themselves the eyes of all, and, perhaps, the envy of many. We may instance Holloway, who has achieved a world-wide reputation. He does not undertake to give wealth for all, but he offers what is far better—health for all.

What wonder, then, that he should receive the countenance of crowned heads! What wonder, then, that the greatest families of Europe should patronise his medicines? What wonder that throughout India the natives of all degree should lay aside their prejudices, and use Holloway's Ointment—fatty substance—and that, too, when it is remembered that a mutiny broke out among the Mahometan portion of the Indian army in consequence of certain being given to them in which fat was supposed to be used in infinitesimal quantities! And yet it is known to no sane refuse to use this famous unguent and that many of our missionaries keep dupes of Pills and Ointment for the use of the native; hence they have as it were with one voice, accepted and been instrumental in diffusing among the Indians these priceless and inestimable medicines.

Holloway appeals to the intelligence and experience of the world; his cry is "Judge me not by bad men;" and by the verdict which the world returns he is prepared to stand or fall. It was this confidence which enabled him to sustain the absence of any arrogant superiority in one who has so much to boast of, which first recommended Holloway to the notice of sovereigns and to the high esteem. In the Court of Spain he found his first official supports; and wherever the pure name of Britain is known in Southern or Central America or Mexico, he numbers his patients by the million.

His home is not built upon any transient basis; its walls are the eternal principles of health, its portico is science, and the golden cupola which surmounts the whole is the gratitude of regenerated nations. We pass through that portico into safety; with in those walls no disease dare boldly obtrude their baneful presence; and beneath the glory of that cupola the great physician of nations presides over his work is accomplished, may sleep securely on the laurels he has garnered through a well-spent life.—*Boston Rev.*

ON CHANGE.

May 11, 1864.

Patacons opened at 28 3/8, sold down to 28 3/8, and closed at 28 5/8 very firm. Cash sales 34,072. Patacons sold at after hours at 29 cash.

TIME SALES.

For Friday	2,000	28.95
Saturday	2,000	28.95
31st May	43,400	28.95
Dec. 31st	1,000	29.10
Oct. 31st	8,000	29.80
May 31st	3,000	28.80
June 15th	7,000	28.90

Total sales 128,772 pats.

The attendance on the Rules to day was thin, owing to the merchants being occupied with their correspondence for the 6 French packet. The coming elections were greatly talked of, and many people assert that no military preparations are being made by the National Government. We opine however that this is incorrect, and that President Mitre will adopt measures to prevent any disturbance.

The Pavon arrived to-day, bringing dates from the interior. Everything is quiet, save in Cordova, where, we regret to say, political excitement still reigns.

We have been informed that Mr. Rickard has finally purchased the dome of the San Juan lobbies in this mining company, on a credit of eleven months, at 12 per cent. Mr. Rickard now is virtually the company itself, as he has a majority of votes.

A very important sale was made to-day for the months of December, 1864, Jan. and Feb., 1865—20,000 at 28 9/8. This is an enormous price, and shows to clearly the real state of the specie market.

About £150,000 has been drawn for the packet at last quotations. We are informed that the River Plate Bank now virtually rules the Exchange market. The business of this Bank is rapidly increasing under the able management of Mr. Green.

PRODUCE SALES.

200 dry cowhides matadero	13½
400 do do camp	12½
400 do do do	12½
1000 arr. wool mixed	58 to 60
200 do do do	68
200 do do South	130
80 do do do	132
100 doz. sheepskins	72
140 do do do	90
5 salted ox hides of 60 lb.	40 sl. rls
51 pipes tallow, Corrientes	14½
2200 salted ox hides do	41
6000 do do do Paysanda	46
2500 hides Cordoba	30.

MARITIME NEWS

ARRIVALS

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Glasgow, British brig, Lizzie.

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Rosario, National steamer Paysan.

Parana, Hanoverian schooner Thekla

Valparaiso, British barque Bragmans in ballast.

Antwerp, Hanoverian brig, Annete

Uruguay, Spanish polacre Merced.

Callao, French ship, Maldonado.

Gualeguaychu, National steamer Era.

Musical Association, SCOTCH CHURCH.

A General Meeting of this Association will be held in the Scotch Church School room, on Friday Evening next (13th inst.), at Half-past Seven o'Clock.

3 p m 12

British Steamer 'PARTE.'

This beautiful new and fast-sailing Steamer, recently arrived from England, will sail at this port on Sunday, the 15th inst, from Montevideo, and proceed on to the River Uruguay and intermediate Ports, leaving this at Ten o'Clock in the Morning.

This Steamer can be recommended to all persons visiting the Ports of the Banda Oriental and Entre Rios, for the most superior accommodations and fast sailing, not being equalled by any boat at present in the River Plate; and from her light draft of water, can proceed up to the Salta at all times.

TARIFA.

	Cabin.	Steerage.
Higueritas	$0 Orientals.	5 do.
Feny Bentos	7 "	4½ "
Concepcion del U.	13 "	6½ "
Paysandu	14 "	7 "
Salto	20 "	10 "
Salto	20 "	10 "

Parcels and specie received at the Agency up to 12 o'clock at Night o'Clock on the morning of the day of sailing (Sunday).

No Passengers admitted without their correspondency ticket from the Agency, Calle Cuyo, No. 1.

HENRY DOWSE.

Just Received

A varied assortment of extra heavy goods suitable for the coming season.

All wool plaids double breadth scarf tad classes, plain, Striped and plaid Linsey Woolseys, 6/4 French Castors, 4/4 Blankets, 6/4 Blankets, white and coloured Quilts, Ready made clothing, mens and youths suits, heavy Pilot jackets, check Shirts etc. etc.

Gibraltar House.

64, 66 and 68 CALLE PIEDAD.

12 p m 12.

Mr. William Houch.

BRITISH HOTEL,

98 calle Piedad, Buenos Ayres.

Those are several letters for the above address, which the owner is requested to call for.

3 p m 11.

Subscription for the aged and wounded veterans, Michael Morgan.

M. G. M.	...	$ 10
D. O'B	...	10
J. R. D. G	...	10
J. M. N	...	5
E. D	...	100
Mr. John Lawler, Lobos		20
M. B	...	10
D. C	...	20
N. N	...	10

Any sums above 5 dols. will be received and acknowledged at this office

Just Published,

Price $20,

"The Cotton-fields of Paraguay and Corrientes,"

By M. G. MULHALL.

On sale at Messrs. McKern's

M 5, dp.

British Library Catalogue.

Price: $5.

On sale at this office or at the Library Each month we will publish a new edition containing list of new books received, as appendix.

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BLANKETS, FLANNELS, WINCIES, CLAN SHAWLS, HOSIERY, &c.

PATRICK GALBRAITH,

Begs to inform his numerous Customers that he has just received a large assortment of 9-4, 10-4, and 12-4 Blankets, 4-4, 6-4, and 8-4 Flannels; Aberdeen and Knickerbocker Wincies, Long and Square Clan Wool Shawls, Moleskin and Corduroy, Youths' and Gents' Tweed Suits, Gents' Reversible Jackets, L. W. Hosiery and Undercloathing, Ties, Scarfs, &c.,

AT

The English Drapery Establishment of Buenos Ayres,

49 & 51—CALLE DEFENSA—49 & 51.

Empresito de la Republica Argentina.

Los abajo firmados autorizados por el Superior Gobierno, para el Empresito de 1. 8 de Octubre de 1860, avisan á los tenedor de titulos que a continuacion se espresan, que pueden ocurrir á la Tesoreria del Banco Maua y Ca, todos los dias hábiles, desde las diez de la mañana hasta la una de la tarde, á percibirse importe integro, por haber salido á la suerte en la estraccion verificada hoy—Buenos Ayres, Mayo 2 de 1862.

Por Maua y Ca—*William Leslie*, Serie C.

Titulos números.	Titulos números.
1577	2691
1213	1468
2072	1019
1847	1484
1907	1455
1589	1375
1435	201
1142	1319
1923	877
1399	1424
2679	2581

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Notice

Messrs. George Bell and Son have removed their Office to Calle Moreno No. 151.

Pep. A28

Lady's Companion

A Young Lady, native, but educated in Europe, is desirous of obtaining a situation in attending to a lady, or being in a respectable family. She speaks and writes Spanish, English, German, and French, and has some knowledge of music.

Letters addressed to B. C., will be received at this Office.

6p. A4

American Ploughs,

Wholesale and Retail.

Depot of Machinery, &c.,

ESMERALDA, 88 & 87.

5 p, m 7

Parlor and Cooking Stoves,

A varied assortment on Sale.

Depot of Machinery, &c.,

ESMERALDA, 88 & 87.

5 p, m 7

JOHN KENSLEY,

149—CALLE PARQUE—140,

Publisher and Official Translator,

Land Agent.

Orders from England promptly attended to. m 8 8

Official Nice.

Buenos Ayres, 6th May, 1861.

On Monday, the 9th inst., at 1 p.m. $1,000,000 m|c. will be burned on account of the emissions of 1858 and 1859. This notice is for the benefit of the public, who may govern themselves accordingly.

E. ZAMUDIO.

Modiswore, with Capitol.

To be Sold, Half a Flock of Sheep, good quality, in an establishment in the north-west of this Province, with fruitate pastures and great extent of camp. Apply at Calle Rivadavia, No. 86.

3 p, m 8

For Sale by Auction.

By D. FELIX O'GORMAN,

On Tuesday, 17th May,

Between 4 and 5 p.m.,

No. 400 Calle Perge, containing 6 rooms, papered and boarded, with kitchen, large algibe, and offices, 11¼ yards front, by 68 depth.

And on Wednesday, the 18th inst No. 403, Calle Cangello, containing 5 rooms, kitchen, algibe, and out offices. All the rooms are papered and boarded, with 8½ yards front, and 68 depth.

The largest freshest and best assorted stock of Groceries, Drapery and Ironmongery will be found at

The Hibernian House,

64, 66 & 68 CALLE PIEDAD.

Lithographic Establishment

The undersigned begs to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has under this date opened in Calle Reconquista, No. 85, an Establishment for all classes of lithographing, where all orders will be promptly executed, and on the most reasonable terms.

C. KRAFT.

Wines For Sale.

Champagne, Veuve Cliequot,

" G. H. Mumm and Co,

" in large & small bottles

Rhenish Wines, Johannesberg Cabinet,

" Steinberger Cabinet,

" Ruedesheimer Berg.

Port—D. M. Fonercheerd, jr. and Ca.

Brandy, Pale and Dark—Roullet. Delamain, y Ca.

ZENGNICK, SCARFF, y CA.,

Rivadavia, 3 Altos.

2 p m 11

San Juan Mining Co.

Notice is hereby given to those shareholders who have not paid their third call into the Bank Maua and Co., that they are respectfully requested to do so within ten days from date, otherwise such shares shall be forfeit.

Buenos Ayres, May 9th 1864.

José Antonio de Couto,

Secretary.

m 9, 3 p

Steam to Liverpool via Brazil

The British Steamer

"KEPLER,"

1449 tons register, Capt. John Carroll, Will be despatched from this port with Cargo and Passengers at the end of the present month for Liverpool, calling at Montevideo, Rio de Janeiro, Bahia, and Lisbon.

For engagements of Freight to the various ports apply to the agents.

For terms of Insurance on Cargo can be guaranteed if required.

Special forms of bill of lading will be supplied by the Agents.

PASSAGE MONEY.

(Including bedding, linen, and steward's fees, but excluding wines & spirits)

FIRST CABIN.

For Liverpool .. £40

" Rio de Janeiro .. 50 pats.

" Bahia .. 70 "

" Lisbon .. 120 "

SECOND CABIN.

(Passengers providing their own linen)

For Liverpool .. £20

For further particulars apply to the agents,

JOHN P BOYD & CO.,

Calle San Martin, No. 56,

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Sewing Machines.

A large and varied assortment on hand. Warranted to work well. They are all of the latest and most improved inventions, and of different prices.

JOHN SHAW,

f19 204 Calle Venezuela.

COLON THEATRE.

OPENING of the ARGENTINE CONGRESS.

On THURSDAY, 12th inst.

Eighteenth performance of the Season.

The National Anthem, sung by all the Company; the sales by Señorias Brizl and Mollo.

To be followed by the Opera of UN BALLO IN MASCHERA.

At Eight o'Clock.

To Let.

The beautiful and splendid House, with Altos, Calle Piedad, No. 470, consisting of (11) eleven commodious apartments, with gas in all parts of the house with brass fixtures; it has two door lamps, an algibe, with pump and bucket. The house can be seen at all hours by applying at Calle del Temple, No. 248.

6 p, m 8

Sheep for Sale

From two to three thousand fine sheep to be sold. Inquire at 181, Calle Parque; or at Mr. Gerald Hillan's, at Partido, Moron, three leagues from Moreno.

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MARKET OR CAMP CARTS.

Crosbill's Patent Spring Carts on Sale at Calle Florida, 17. m 4, 8

OFFICES AND ROOMS.

Some very fine apartments, with bed-rooms, kitchens, pantry, &c., suitable for offices and for a small family.

Apply at this Office.

Irish Potatoes.

A small lot of superior quality. Those interested in a good article for Seed apply in time at

BARRY & WALKER'S,

97 Calle Defensa, esquina de Moreno.

6 p, m 8

Buenos Ayres Chamber of Commerce, May 11, 1864.

Latest Prices of Produce.

SALADERO PRODUCE

Ox Hides,	20 silver rs per 60 lbs
Cow Hides, 21 to 25 lbs	60 "
Cow Hides, 16 to 20	50 "
Cow Hides, 14 to 15	40 "
Salted Hides	50 "
Horse Hides, 1st	25 "
Horse Hides, 2nd	15 "
Mares' manes, of Stallions'	40 "
Horse hair from tails, after dressing	1 "
Horse hair from tails per bundle	1 "
Cow Do. Do. do.	1 "
Shredding bone, 16 per sacks	
Do. short, 80 do do	
Shin bones, 100 do. per thousand	
Shank bones, 15 silver dols. per ton.	

VARIOUS.

Tallow, 1st	87 to 100 dols.
Do. mixed	80 to 84
Wax, South	10 to 12 dols
Do., West	15
Do., North	10 to 12
Arrobas	30 to 35
Jerked beef, 1st	4 to 4½
Do., 2nd	3 to 3½
Do., 3rd	2½ to 3
Salted beef, 1st	3 to 3½
Do., 2nd	2½ to 3
Do., 3rd	2 to 2½
Hams	4 to 5
Dutch feathers, tied per lb.	50 to 55
Do. do. loose	30 to 35
Goat hides, dos.	30 to 35

PROVINCIAL AND PARAGUAY PRODUCE.

Hides, Corrients	32 to 36
Do. Entre Rios and Mendoza	30
Do. Santiagos	32
Do. Rosarios	42
Do. Santa Fe	
Do. Cordovas	31 to 36
Do. Cuyos	30
Do. Cordova	21 to 25
Do. San Luis and Mendoza	30
Do. Santa Fe	30
Do. Paraguays	28 to 30
Do. Corrients	30
Do. Cordova	30
Hair	30 to 35
Do. San Luis and Mendoza	30
Do. Santa Fe	30
Do. Corrients	30
Do. Cordova	30
Do. Paraguay Horse Hair	30
Do. Goat	35
Yerba Mate	4 to 5½
Jerked beef	60
Do. 1st	27
Do. 2nd	24
Do. Charqui	20
Do. Paraguayan	

DRY HIDES.

Ox, narrow, over 41 to silver rs, 21 to	
Ox, 36 to 40	
Ox, 32 to 35	
Ox, 28 to 31	
Ox, 24 to 27	
Halfears 41	
Do. do. buttcrs	
Do. do. Cuyos	
Do. do. Santa Fe	
Do. Mouvilles & Quinas, 41 to 41	
Do. Santa Fe, 41 to 41	
Do. Corrientes, 30 to 31	
Do. Cordova, 30 to 31	
Do. Cuyos, 30 to 31	

WOOL

Dirty fine, 1st, class 10½ to 11½ dollars	
Dirty 2nd " 9½ to 10 dollars	
Dirty mid " 80 to 85	
Do. ewe 70 to 75	
Do. lambs' 60 to 65	
Do. locks 50 to 55	
Do. combed 48 to 50	
Do. Cuyos, fine 120 to 130	
Do. do. mid 110 to 120	
Do. mixed 80 to 100	
Do. ordinary 50 to 70	

Discounts

PROVINCIAL BANK.	
Bigliotes (especiales)	45
" regular	45
Cuenta Corriente	45
"	45
"	45
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